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Per reftel request, Poloff delivered talking points and Mr. Walker's biographic information to Alexander Nalbandov, Director of the International Organizations Department at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Nalbandov said that Georgia would likely support the U.S. candidate for the seat on the UN's Independent Audit Advisory Committee (IAAC), but he would first have to consult with the Georgian Mission in New York to ensure that Georgia had not already pledged support for either the Swiss or Spanish candidates before endorsing Mr. Walker.

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